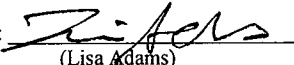


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REQUEST TO CORRECT INFORMATION ENTERED IN ERROR


Dear Sir:

Applicant received the enclosed Notice of Acceptance of Power of Attorney and Notice Regarding Change of Power of Attorney dated September 20, 2007 indicating that the Power of Attorney in the above-referenced application had been changed from the undersigned's law firm (customer number 21125) to Swanson & Bratschun, LLC of Littleton Colorado.

We believe this was entered in error as no Revocation and Grant of Power of Attorney was ever filed in this case. Accordingly, correction of this error is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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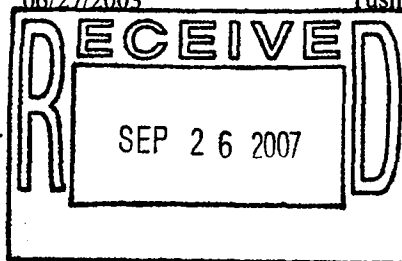


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NOTICE OF ACCEPTANCE OF POWER OF ATTORNEY

This is in response to the Power of Attorney filed 09/18/2007.

The Power of Attorney in this application is accepted. Correspondence in this application will be mailed to the above address as provided by 37 CFR 1.33.


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NOTICE REGARDING CHANGE OF POWER OF ATTORNEY

This is in response to the Power of Attorney filed 09/18/2007.

- The Power of Attorney to you in this application has been revoked by the applicant. Future correspondence will be mailed to the new address of record(37 CFR 1.33).

